**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY**

**ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION**

**PUBLIC INTEREST LITIGATION NO. 126 OF 2006**

Shri Prakash R. Tiwari. ...Petitioner

V/s.

The Chief Executive and Secretary
Council for the Indian School
Certificate Examination (ICSE) & Ors ...Respondents

Shri J.D. Damani for the Petitioner.
None for the Respondents.

**CORAM : H.S. BEDI, C.J., &**
**V.M. KANADE, J.**
**DATED : NOVEMBER 9, 2006.**

**P.C. :-**

1. The petitioner has raised some issues with regard to certain educational policies with regard to the marks to be reserved for the Hindi language paper during the course of school examinations. At the outset, it was pointed out to the learned Counsel for the petitioner that the jurisdiction of this Court on such a matter would be clearly limited and that this court can not question a policy and to determine as to

the number of marks that can be awarded to a particular paper. The learned Counsel for the petitioner, however, pointed out that several communications had been addressed to various authorities in respect of the issue raised but no reply had been received so far.

2. We accordingly direct that this petition be treated as a representation and the respondents should take into account the suggestions made by the petitioner in formulating any future policies. The petitioner to serve a copy of this petition alongwith a copy of this Order upon all the respondents to the petition.

3. The petition stands disposed of in view of the above directions.

**CHIEF JUSTICE**

**V.M. KANADE, J.**